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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filling a reply in the above-identified application. The initial period for responding to the Office Action issued July 8, 2004 expired on October 8, 2004.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

		LARGE ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	AMOUNT
		FEE	FEE	ENCLOSED
	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110.00	\$55.00	110.00
	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430.00	\$215.00	• •
	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980.00	\$490.00	
	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,530.00	\$765.00	
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00	
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A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 24-038 12 1 have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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Respectfully submitted,

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